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Update on Assembly Committee on Sporting Heritage

I wanted to provide a quick update on the Assembly Committee on Sporting Heritage of which I am the chair. We held public hearings regarding Assembly Bill 29 relating to the governor's bear tag and Assembly Bill 30 relating to the use of wood, including plywood, to contain bear bait or feed in logs or stumps.

These bills are important to our Wisconsin heritage and to the many sportsmen and women throughout the state. Our committee intends on holding an executive session to vote these bills out of committee and for them to continue through the legislative process and to be voted on the floor by the entire legislative body.

After recently receiving Assembly Bill 53 relating to shot shell restrictions and the hunting of furbearing animals to the committee, I intend to hold a public hearing regarding this bill to fix the problem that has been raised regarding the use of buckshot. This is an urgent bill that needs to be addressed due to some people currently hunting and for those that will be in this upcoming season that will be using buckshot. Unfortunately, the committee did not receive this piece of legislation in time for the public hearing that was held on February 10th.

With the legislative session in full swing, I am excited to continue to work to serve the people of our area. I will continue to fight for the constituents of the 92nd in the upcoming budget discussions and ensure our district will benefit again this cycle.

I look forward to continuing to support common sense initiatives that help our communities and grow the love of conservation.

As always, feel free to contact my office with questions, comments, or concerns at Rep.Pronschinske@legis.wi.gov.

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